

## Attractions at Crawford Theatre NEXT WEEK

MON.—

WANDA HAWLEY IN  
"THE BELOVED VILLIAN"

TUES.—

MACK BENNETT'S HOME TALENT  
FUN — FUN — FUN

WED.—

"PASSING SHOW 1922"  
Home Talent Show  
Benefit Boy Scouts Summer Camp Fund.

THUR.—

FRANK LLOYD PRODUCTION  
"THE GRIM COMEDIAN"

FRI.—

MARSHALL NEILANS  
"BOB HAMPTON OF PLACER"

SAT.—

THOS. MEEHAN IN  
"CAPPY RICKS"

### LOCAL NEWS.

Herbert Cawley and wife spent Sunday in town from their ranch on the plains, the guests of friends while in town.

Oliver Shattuck and Homer Ward, cowboys from the Guadalupe, were in town this week attendants at court.

M. J. Mable, of the Roswell hardware firm of that name, was a business visitor to the Beautiful from his home Monday.

Mrs. L. G. Ryan will leave Monday for a summer visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cassingham, at Redwood City, California.

L. Tucker and D. W. Meiers, who registered from El Paso Gap, were in town the first of the week. They too report the lack of moisture in that community.

B. A. Nymeyer is about on crutches this morning, and while he shows the result of his accident greatly, he is a living example of the old saying that "you can't keep a good man down".

E. C. Jackson, J. G. Hedgecoxe, Earl Hedgecoxe and wife, Mrs. Jess Funk, of Lake Arthur, and W. A. Cannon and J. F. Miller, of Artesia, have been guests of the Palace hotel while attending court this week.

In the annual beauty contest held at the State University, Miss Elizabeth Shepherd, daughter of Charlie Shepherd, of Roswell, carried off the honors. Miss Shepherd frequently visited in Carlsbad where she has a number of friends.

F. E. Bixler, D. F. Hill, Ernest O'Hannon, A. D. Hill and wife and son, Nelson C. Doering, Mrs. Mae Wilkinson, J. B. Atkinson, all of Artesia and Cottonwood, were down from there this week, Wednesday, attending court and were guests of the Crawford hotel while in town.

The personnel of the Hagerman basketball team which played in this city last Saturday night, was composed of the following: Julia Curry, Mable Shaw, Emma Ham, Mary Williamson, Eloise Blythe, Margaret Wimberly, Ida May Beadle, E. H. White and wife and Dr. and Mrs. Rowell were the chaperones. Other players from that city were: Fred Curry, Edmund McKinstry, H. B. Cumpston, Louie Michelet, Boucher Brookshire.

It is not too soon to begin planning for a "Clean-up Day" for the city. As soon as the winds lay, early in April, will be a good time to do the work. Some of the alleys and vacant lots in the city are sadly in need of a general cleaning, and a concerted effort will be necessary if we want to begin the summer in a sanitary condition.

The Current this week finished a job of printing for the Carlsbad Chamber of Commerce, consisting of 10,000 pamphlets setting forth the claims of Carlsbad and the valley as the best and most progressive place in the entire west. The work is done in two colors, the regular city colors being used, they being orange and black, and is a piece of printing that would do credit to a large city shop. The size is convenient for mailing, being small enough to fit into an ordinary sized envelope, but contains much information of interest and the public is urged to place one in each of their personal letters before mailing, thus advertising the city and surroundings. Copies may be obtained in any number by calling at the office of the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

T. C. Horne has on display in his window a number of ladies' hats, which are attracting a great deal of attention from the ladies and other customers of that popular store. These hats are replicas of those recently worn and sanctioned by Irene Castle, who is described as "the best dressed woman in America". They were made by "Vogue Millinery" and are twelve in number, ranging from a little street urban to the latest creation in dress hats. They will be displayed for one week and all the ladies of Carlsbad will have an opportunity to inspect them; the prices are very reasonable.

If all the land on the Tax Roll assessed to unknown owner was put in the owner's name, the county would collect thousands of dollars more taxes which would reduce the amount of taxes of the people who tender their property. E. M. Kearney has the name of every land owner in the county and if nominated for the office of County Clerk will place them on the Tax Roll and thereby reduce your taxes. Vote for KEARNEY and get lower taxes.—Advertisement.

Little Walter, the baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grogan, who has been so critically ill for twenty-one days past, is improving and prospects are excellent for his complete recovery, although of necessity his convalescence will be slow. His condition has been a subject of much anxiety on the part of physicians and nurses, as well as friends who love the merry bright-eyed baby and rejoice that he is spared to his fond parents.

Say it with flowers! Say it with music! Say it with gestures! All these are antiques since the arrival of the "Passing Show". "Say it With Liquor," song by the leading comedians, is one of the big comedy numbers at the Crawford Theatre Wednesday evening, April 5th.

1 Dodge Touring car \$350.00  
1 Overland Touring Car \$150.00  
J. S. OLIVER.

### DISTRICT COURT NEWS.

Court is still in session and a number of jury cases have been disposed of this week. Among others that of Pedro Estrada who was found guilty of murder in the second degree, the following being the jury which tried the case: C. H. McCree, M. R. Smith, R. W. Dum, W. F. Jinks, R. I. Wilcox, John Meyer, J. C. Floore, Chas. Cole, J. D. Hudgins, E. A. Roberts, W. A. Craig.

State of New Mexico vs. Oscar Harrison, for larceny, pled guilty and was assessed a fine of \$1000.00 and costs, and a commitment to jail until same is paid.

State of New Mexico vs. Sabino Silva, for forgery and uttering forged instrument, pled guilty and given a suspended sentence.

The case of Florence Nelson vs. A. D. Hill, for damages, is now occupying the attention of the court. A great number of witnesses have been called and it is likely to continue through the day.

The jury hearing the above case is as follows: Richard Westaway, M. A. Wilcox, John Meyer, J. C. Floore, C. D. Harkey, J. B. Leek, R. B. Kishbough, E. V. Watson, G. L. McAdoo, C. B. McCree, M. R. Smith, and W. F. Jinks.

Court will probably last through another week from present indications.

### "THE PASSING SHOW OF 1922"

Rehearsals for the "Passing Show" that is to be given in the Crawford Theatre next Wednesday evening are in full swing and promises to more than fulfill all the promises of a snappy musical comedy and a lucky treat for the theatre-goers of the City Beautiful.

According to Mrs. Edwards, the cast is enthused and are putting forth their best efforts to put the show across as a record breaker. The dance steps are of the very latest and difficult for amateurs not accustomed to this form of show. However they have the spirit, to heart and with the few remaining rehearsals will appear as seasoned professionals.

Space does not permit a description of the many new and original features of this cabaret musical, but the Ho Deep Beauty Chorus deserves a special mention as one of the leading numbers of the show. Advertising in the larger towns where this show has been produced issues a warning to all young husbands and others of a weak heart who might not be vamp proof. The flirtations this beauty assemblage expels over the victims and with the irresistible song "Get 'em Old and Young."

The "Old Swimming Hole" and "Rattles" are two excellent numbers. A special feature of these numbers is a fourteen runway built out into the audience, upon which a part of these acts are worked. (The bald-headed rows will be moved from this section.)

Throughout the two hours of amusement, continued fun and first class comedy will be worked by the blackface comedians with clever jokes and latest song hits.

And don't forget the woman cause you are assisting when you walk up to the box-office. The Boy Scouts are going to have one of the greatest camps ever given in the southwest during the Fourth of July celebration and need money to put this big affair across.

### PUCKETT-STEPHENS

The following item was taken from the Roswell News, of Wednesday, and will be of interest to many Carlsbad people, friends of the bridegroom. This paper extends congratulations and best wishes:

The marriage of Miss Marcelle Stephens, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Stephens, and Henry F. Puckett, court occurred at the home of the bride at high noon Sunday, Rev. C. C. Hill performing the ceremony in the presence of only the immediate families of the contracting parties. The bride wore a dark blue traveling suit, with gray accessories. She is a Senior in the Roswell high school, and after spending this week in Carlsbad where her husband is engaged in court work at present, they will return to Roswell, and Mrs. Puckett will finish her work in high school, graduating this spring. They will make their home with Mr. Puckett's mother, at 802 North Missouri, until their new bungalow at 609 West Walnut is completed.

The contemplated mammoth dancing pavilion on the lake front, for the Fourth of July celebration at Carlsbad, has not yet been definitely arranged for, but Ray Soladay, chairman of the committee on music and dancing, informs us that plans have been perfected for dancing on the big Army floor, on two sections of our newly paved streets, which will be brilliantly illuminated and on the plaza fronting the Crawford hotel.

Arrangements are being made for plenty of jazz, and there will be a thirty piece band for concert work.

Mrs. J. H. Jones returned from her trip to Clovis, the latter part of last week and reports her daughter, Mrs. Nina Brownfield, able to take a trip to California where she will likely remain for some months or at least until she recovers her wonted health.

The Roberts-Deamorne hardware company is having the front of the store and the awning painted this week, which piece of improvement might be followed by several other firms with good effect.

## Specials

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## Last of the Month



42 Pair of LADIES' SLIPPERS and OXFORDS Good Style

\$2.50 — PER PAIR — \$2.50

10 PAIR BOYS' OXFORDS

\$2.50 — PER PAIR — \$2.50

100 MENS' SUMMER UNIONS

Athletic Style

75 CENTS PER SUIT, 75 CENTS

MENS' AND BOYS' CAPS

5 CENTS, \$1.00 AND \$1.25

SAVE YOUR MONEY

Buy Real Merchandise at Living Prices

## Peoples Mercantile COMPANY

"WHERE THINGS ARE NEW"

Attend the Boy Scout Benefit Wednesday Night

Minutes of a Special Meeting of the City Council of the City of Carlsbad, New Mexico, held March 26th, 1922, at 4 o'clock P. M.

The following were present: J. D. Hudgins, Mayor, M. E. Smith, Will Purdy, R. M. Thorne, F. C. Snow, Alderman, C. A. Stewart, City Marshal, Guy A. Reed, City Attorney, F. L. Hancock, City Engineer, R. A. Toffelmire, City Clerk.

Alderman Snow introduced the following resolution with a motion that it be passed and adopted, seconded by Alderman Thorne:

RESOLUTION  
BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Carlsbad, New Mexico, that the salaries and compensation of the elective and appointive officers of the City of Carlsbad shall be as herein specified for the term of office ending April 30th, 1924, being as follows, to-wit:

City Clerk, \$125.00 per month.  
City Treasurer, \$10.00 per month.  
City Attorney, such reasonable fees for services rendered and all fees provided in cases for violation of Ordinances of the City.  
Police Judge, all fees earned and collected for violation of Ordinances.  
City Marshal, \$115.00 per month and all fees earned and collected in cases for violation of Ordinances of the City.

Plumbing & Building Inspector, \$10.00 per month and all fees for inspection of work as provided by Ordinance.  
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Clerk be and is hereby required to keep an office in the City Hall and devote full time to the duties of said office.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all former resolutions in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby cancelled and that this resolution shall be and remain in full force and effect from and after this first day of May, 1922.

ATTEST:  
R. A. Toffelmire, City Clerk.  
J. D. HUDGINS, Mayor.

Nightwatchman, \$20.00 per month.  
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The Committee on Building Site for the City Hall to be constructed reported to the Council and after discussion it was moved by Alderman Snow, seconded by Alderman Purdy that this committee be authorized to make a proposition to Mr. W. A. Moore in charge of the East 50 feet of lots 1, 3, 5, 7, in block 8, Original Carlsbad, for said corner as follows:

The City Council will agree to trade lots 17 & 19 in block 8, Ori-

ginal for the East 50 feet of lots 1, 3, 5, 7 in block 8 Original and the sum of \$650.00 to be paid to the City. Motion carried.

It was moved by Alderman Snow seconded by Alderman Thorne that the City Clerk be instructed to draw a warrant payable to the order of F. L. Hancock, City Engineer, for \$350.00. Motion carried and the Clerk was so instructed.

The Mayor adjourned the meeting subject to call.  
A party honoring Mrs. Ural Boyd was held at the Bill Jones residence on Greene Heights, last week Thursday night. The ladies present were all intimate friends of the honoree and a pleasant gathering is reported. Delicious refreshments formed a pleasant part of the evening, the twenty guests present being served by Misses Gladys Jones and Maedean Campbell.

NOTICE  
The undersigned owns five and 7-10 acres of water right that it desires to sell. Bids will be accepted up to ten o'clock A. M. on the 1st day of April, 1922. Please mail your bids to the undersigned on or before said date.  
Otis Gin & Warehouse Company,  
Loving, New Mexico.

## U. S. Meat Market

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